OFFICE OF AUDITOR OF PUB. AC'TS. ) Jackson, Miss., Jan. 1, 1875. To the Legislature of the State of Mississip-RECEIPTS.

By refer new to document "A," it will In examining and making up lists of be seen that the receipts from all sources lands forfeited in the several counties reup to December 31, are \$1,368,396 17; ported to this office by the Circuit

to that time, it will be reactly seen that the prior yel amount of taxes will be paid and carried into account of 1875. of last year. DISECUSEMENTS.

to \$1,3 (9.281 60, showing an excess of great labor, requiring patient investigareceipts for the year of \$49.114 57. This tion, and will require some time yet to

I am happy to be able to announce State tax is suspended. This makes an whether the State is to pay five per cent. fiscal year : this fact, and to make so favorable a aggregate of 6,000,000 acres, or one. on \$50,000 collected and paid over on Legislative showing; and trust, by strict economy, fifth of the entire erea of the State, account of State tax, and the same Executive .... that a much better showing may be made These figures are so appalling in their amount also be allowed by the county Public Prieting for the coming year, and the rate of magnitude as to occasion serious concern on county taxes collected; or whether the Auditor's Contingent Fund

believe this can be done.

make their final settlements for the fiscal stances, and records so confused, as to on the additional \$50,000, \$1,500; make operate, to the extent of my power and year 1873. This number includes the deter any, one from purchasing these ing a total of \$4,000. If the Collector ability.

balance is small, and arises from taxes on and the State and county taxes are held tion by per cent. as now provided. lands which have been reported delin- suspended, until such time as the lands at county have tailed to condemn and Boards, order sold.

legislative consideration.

the above suggestions and reducing the Boards, is about \$25,000,000. rate of taxation on real estate in future levies, be added to the assessment rolls during the year 1875, and largely contribute to increase the revenues and lessen Deburdens of taxation.

lands will be annually increased at such payment of all witness certificates—issued mend that all insurance companies now revenues of the istate from this source. I make these suggestions fully impressed where executions are returned nulla bona to withdraw the same, by giving the nowith their importance, and believing to be made by the several counties. pany doing business in the State be rethey will receive from your honorable These claims are now paid by the State quived to pay an increased privilege tax body due consideration.

TEACHERS' FUND TAX.

to pay out such fund to the amount of be readily detected.

I would also recommend that this fund, hereafter, be either used in the counties where it is collected, or, if to be distributed pro rata among the several counties, that the Tax Collectors be required to col- to some changes which I deem imperative. | collection of privilege taxes, and that Collect and pay it over directly to the State Treasurer.

COMMON SCHOOL FUND, minent "D," it will be seen there is a on or before the first Monday of July of in regard to the licence to retail.

in United States bonds. The greater to. e lied, such investment has not been and the Clerk is required to furnish a copy the tax is not collected as closely as it made, ex cut the amount of \$66,617 45. of the corrected roll, on or before the first should be. received in United States currency, Monday of October, to the Auditor and | The receipts from licenses granted to which has re-ently, as I am informed, Tax Collector.

been invested as required. of receipts from licenses to retail vinous of July, of each year, to levy county taxes, 1872. In some counties, perhaps, no and spirituous liquors, as compared with which shall be a per centum on the State licenses have been granted under the previous years. This is due, in a meas tax as shown by the assessment roll. Act to amend section 2459, Revised ure, to the restrictive law passed at the Section 1 of an Act in relation to Code, 1871, regulating the retail of last regular session of the Legislature, State Board of Equalization, approved vinous and spirituous liquors, etc., Apregulating the granting of such licenses. April 2, 1874, requires said Board to proved April 6, 1874. I am of opinion, meet on the first Monday of September, bowever, that in many cases, even when cases in which because are granted, the to equalize property among the several license has been granted, and the mone treasury. Most of the hierases granted These conflicts are so apparent as only made a pretext for withholding payment 78, 80, } Baronne St., \ 82 90. are given by corporate cities and towns, to be pointed out to secure correction. to the State. It is certainly clear that and the money paid over to the city or Boards of Supervisors should not make the revenues from this source have been town treasurer, who is required to pay the county levies until after the equaliza- largely decreased, without corresponding the same over to the county treasurer, tion has been completed by the county benefits to the State, or any particular PHILIP WERLEIN who reports and pays it over to the State and State Boards, and the rolls should be community by the operations of this law. Treasurer, through this office. As both required to be completed and filed with No less amounts of intoxicating liquors OFFERS on most accommodating terms treasurers charge and roes ive commissions the Clerk of the County Board, on or are sold and consumed, even in localities double tees are thus paid for collecting before the first of June, and sent to the when licenses are denied, while no revethese moneys. I recommend a change State Board on or before the first of Au- nues are derived from the sale thereof. of the law in this respect, so as to place gust of each year, so that the Boards of When retail license is refused, it is sold

In the matter of sales and redemption in time to begin collections.

the great expense that has accrued upon concerned, and be productive of much condemnation and sale of delinquest lands, the expense was very great,

amounting in the aggregate, on lands law for re-assessment of real estate, I shops and lands not used exclusively for The Welly Carlon. amounting in the aggregate, on lands law for re-assessment of the submit an esti-depot purposes, owned by said roads. there forfeited and sold, to \$50,000 and have thought proper to submit an esti-depot purposes, owned by said roads. vinted, and a saving in expenditures of Valuation of real and personal

through the office of the Circuit Clerk of

JUDICIARY FUND.

sessment rolls, are very conflicting.

COSTS OF ASSESSING.

Another reason why redemptions and of railroad ..... Another reason why redemptions and confused condition of accounts between Teachers Fund tex this office and the Circuit Clerks of the County tax ...... State. All soles and redemptions under

Total tax existing laws must be made in and Commissions for assessing same, under present law the county in which the land is located. Add for commissions on polls and

on additional assessments. Or an average of \$1.600 per county.

ported, and is not included in this report. made of same to this office. Under the ing, I would recommend that the laws be thus far, none of the roads have paid on I have reason to believe that, notwithe provisions of the above recited act, this so amended as to fix a maximum or the assessments made against them, and standing the strugency of money matters, can, and will be, in some measure rem- minimum amount which the Assessor in I recommend that early legislative action the deimquents will not be much in excess edied as to the past and obviated in fu- each county shall be paid. This will se- be taken to compel payment, as agreed ture, but as the work of revising these cure to each Assessor a fair and just com- on. lists involves a revision of the entire land pensation for the work he performs, and UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS AND The disbursements for the year amount | records of this office, it has been one of | save a large amount to the tax-payers.

COSTS OF CULLECTIVE receipts have exceeded the disburse. The State now holds not less than Tax Collectors are now allowed five per unexpended, and I would recommend that 1873 being largely on the other side, remaining, in 1873, as per Auditor's Levee Boards in the Levee Districts, Report for that year to 5674 198 50. taxation at the same time be largely re- for the future. The Legislature, at the first \$50,000 is to include both State and Chickasaw School Fund Interest. duced. I shall, in another portion of last regular session, passed an Act aba- county tax to that amount, and I respect. Express and Posters this report, undertake to point out, to ting all taxes on lands forfeited and sold fully request that the law be so amended, some extent, the various ways in which I prior to 1866. This, in my judgment, at once, as to remove all doubt in the Tagaloo University was wise and proper as far as it went; matter. If the five per cent, to be paid but I am now of opinion that the provisions of this Act should be so extended to amount of \$50,000, and three per cent, counties of Alcorn, Copiah, Chickasaw, lands, and especially is this true of the is to receive compensation at the rate of Harrison, DeSoto, Prentiss, Marion and lands held in the counties embraced in five per cent. on \$50,000 State tax, and the Levee Districts. All taxes, State, the same per cent, on a like amount of Suits have been ordered against the County and Levee, should be released, county tax, this amount would be increasformer or out-going Collectors in Copiah, and the original owners allowed to reed to \$5,000. Add to this the commis-Chickasaw and Prencies, the balance have deem such lands by paying the taxes sions on collection of tax on privileges. It is of the Palais Royal kind, cheap, ing been ascertained to be due from them; now due for the fiscal year 1874. Coupled and licenses, and the amount of compen and also against the present Collectors with this, should be a change in the law sation would be still greater. I would of DeSolo and Harrison for balance in reference to sales by and to the several urge upon your honorable body to consid-In the case of Marion and Yazoo counties, no suits have as yet been ordered for ties, no suits have as yet been ordered, for now stands, the sales are made by and to county, based upon amount levied or colfollowing reasons: In Marion county the the Levee Boards for taxes due them, lected therein, rather than a compensa-

quent, but which the Board of Supervisors | may be purchased or redeemed from said | A reference to Document "R" will show when the State gets her taxes, if that the number of insurance companies at all, through the Levee officials. If doing business in the State in compliance In the case of Yazoo, there were three the rule should be reversed, and all sales with existing laws, is decreasing. The different Collectors during the fiscal year, be required to be made to the State, I am system of requiring deposits to be made each of whom claims to have paid over convinced it would inure greatly to her with the State Treasuser, seems to be his collections. Under the difficulty in advantage, and work no injury to the generally distasteful to the large and sol-. certaining who was really in default, I Levee Boards, as the State would become vent companies. A privilege tax of have not ordered suit to be brought, be responsible for the collection of the \$1,000 is now required by law to be paid lieving the case one which should receive Levee Tax on sale or redemption of the by each company doing business in the lands. The estimated value of the lands State. The amount thus received is much Most of this amount can, by adopting now forfeited to the State and Levee less than the interest thus paid by the State on the deposits made by the companies, and the present system is a source The wisdom of the policy requiring of considerable expense to the State, without any corresponding benefits. The times, of this department is, by experience, fully amount of the deposit required in each | dec 4-3m. Unless some speedy and effectual rem- sustained. I would urge still further case, is but little security to the policychanges in this direction, by requiring the holder against loss. I, therefore, recomin cases where the State fails or succeeds having deposits be authorized and required As there are no means by which, in aud- may be provided by law.

iting such accounts, they can be verified DELINQUEST POLL TAX COLLECTORS. Under the Act of 1873, amending the by the court records, the State is often Under an Act to amend the revenue Extra Large Size Clothing, aws in relation to Public Education, a liable to be imposed upon, and pay claims laws of the State, approved April 5, 1872. Shirts and Under Wear a Speciality. laws in relation to Public Education, a Kable to be imposed upon, and pay claims haws of the State, approved April 5, 1872, tax of four mills on the dollar was levied, that should never be paid. A strong il- a Delinquent Poll Tax Collector was reto create a fund to be known as the Tea- Instration of this may be given in the quired to be appointed in each county, chers' Fund Tax. This tax was required ease of Warren county, where I have every whose duty it should be to collect all deto be call each and paid over to the Coun-reason to believe gross irregularities have linquent poll tax, and by subsequent ty Treasurer of each county, to be by been practiced, and many fraudulent amendment, passed at the regular session him held until the annual pra rata distri- claims presented and paid. If these claims of 1873, he was also required to collect on Manufactory: 13 Barclay St., New York. bution was made by the Auditor, in are made payable by the counties, they delinquent personalty. This system of April of each year, as required by law. can be verified by the Court records be-collecting delinquent taxes has been in By subsequent Act, approved April 2, fore payment is made, and the possibility operation for more than two years, and 1074, County Treasurers were authorized of fraud avoided, or if attempted, it can by reference to the fifth portion of Doenone dollar and eighty cents for each | For similar reasons, I would recom- reports have been received from only educable child in his county. The entire mend that inquest claims be also paid by thirty counties in the State, and for very \*mount of this fund collected, and paid | the counties in which they originate. It | small amounts in most cases. The system over in the several counties, would have is seldon, when an inquest is held, that a is a failure, so far as the State is conamounted to not more than one dollar physician is not called in to hold a post remed, and I have every reason to beand fifty cents per scholar. By reason of mortem examination to determine the lieve that much greater amounts have this, but little excess has been reported cause of death, at an expense of from fifty been collected than have been accounted to this office and paid over to the State to one hundred dollars in each case, for and paid over to the State Treasurer. Treasurer. The amount received being whether the same be necessary or not, to I recommend, therefore, that the office be

PRIVILEGE TAXES AND LICENSES. Under this head much could be said I also recommend that some better and and recommended, but I shall point only more effectual method be devised for the The laws regulating the time for lectors be held to a more strict accountsmaking assessment, and returning as bility for the collection and payment of hopes to receive, a liberal patronage. the same. The present method is very Section 1684, Code 1871, requires As- defective, and does not accomplish the By reference to the last section of Doc- sessors to complete and return their rolls purpose designed. The same is also true

balance on hand in layer of this fund of each year, to remain in the office of the The amount received on account of tax Clerk of the Board of Supervisors until on privileges for 1874 is \$48,767 73, This, under the provisions of the State | the first Monday of August following, for | against \$23,326 77 in 1873. This shows Constitution, should have been invested examination and filing of objection there- an increase, but not in proportion to the increased tax imposed by the Act to portion of this amount, however, having | Section 1685, Code 1871, requires the amend section 1747, of the Revised Code, been paid in under existing laws, in war Board of Supervisors to meet on the first in relation to tax on privileges, approved rants of the State, and said warrants cans Monday of August, to equalize assessments April 6, 1874, showing conclusively that

retail vinous and spirituous liquors for Section 1372, Code 1871 requires Boards | the year, amout to \$59,562 24, against I would call astention to the falling off of Supervisors to meet on the first Monday \$84,166 44 in 1873, and \$104, 725 40 in paid for same, that this law has been the collections of all such licenses in the Sapervisors can meet and make county by the gallon, for which no license is rehands of the several Tax Collectors, sales and EEDIMPTION OF LANDS.

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SALES AND REDIMPTION OF LANDS. include the sales of liquors made in of ands, forfeited for non-payment of In this connection, I would earnestly quantities of one gallon or more, and to

of last year. The receipts for last year were \$117,128.86, and for this year, \$35,113.52, or only about one-third of the year previous.

Supervisors, as the law how provides. In the last year in each country to perform the year previous.

I call attention of your honorable body to the fact that there are no definite prothis work, would, in my judgment, be a visions of law for taxing railroad proper-This is to be accounted for in several wast improvement on the present system, ty in this State. In view of this fact, an ways. One of the principal reasons is give a more general satisfaction to all arrangement was made, sometime last In as that have been sold under the act good in securing an equitable assessment representing several of the most important summer, with the attorneys and officials of 1872, to amend the revenue laws. of property in the several counties, as belies of railroad in the State, by which it Cotton Factors & Commission Merchants, was agreed that the roads represented by them should pay upon a valuation of NEW ORLEANS, LA. As the year 1875 is the time fixed by \$5,000 per mile, exclusive of machine nov27-ly

nually. This, by an act passed at the mate of the probable cost of the same to This agreement embraced the New Orealled session in December last, repealing the act above recited, is now obsonalty for the same time: leans, Jackson, and Great Northern Railroad; the Mississippi Central Railroad; the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad; the Memphis and Charleston, and Missis sippi and Tennessee Railroads. The New sales have decreased, is because of the State tax, based on levy of 1874 .. \$1 550 000 Orleans and Mobile Railroad 632 000 signified their intention of accepting the 2,212,000 same agreement at the time, but have since declined. The Mobile and Ohio All of the LATEST STYLE and RICHEST refused from the first, on the ground of MATERIAL. Also, a large lot of 105-464 exemption from taxation by charter pro- GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. 12 000 visions, and still persist in not paying. In accordance with this agreement, the sev-And we have a total of ........... \$117,464 eral Assessors and Collectors were advised to carry it out in their assessments and colthis includes the State Tax for the fixed year 1874, collected up to 30th Novem ber last. As but little was collected up to 30th Novem lections on property of the assenting rail-to-day of Warren would receive road companies. In the case of the Mobile her last. As but little was offected up proved April 6, 1874, I find, in scarcely \$4,900; in the county of Hinds, \$4,500; and Ohio, Assessors were left to make one instance, do the records between the in Adams, \$4,000; in Washington, such assessments as they deemed just and two offices agree. Large quantities of \$4,360; and in Marshal, \$3,475; while proper. Believing this agreement was TRUNKS, land are still held upon the books and in Marion county, the largest in territo- made and would be carried out in good Sattlements with County Treasuries records of this office, as belonging to the ry of any in the State, the Assessor faith, the State has scrupulously observbeing made quarter, the last quarter, State, which have been redeemed or pur- would, under the law, receive not more ed her part of the agreement. I regret, coming D comber 31st, has not been recentaged in the counties, and no report than \$300. In view of the above shows however, to be compelled to state, that

BALANCES.

The following will show a statement In accordance with existing laws, the of balances of the several appropriations

In the effort to economise and reform, which I have full confidence to believe By reference to fir t part of document as to embrace all taxes and costs on all lands forfeited and sold prior to 1875. Collectors of eight counties have failed to The titles are so imperfect, in many in-

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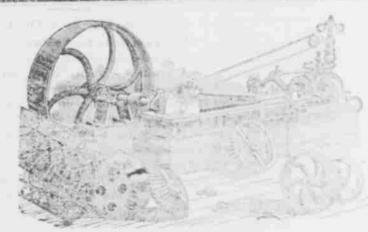
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